

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Mark A. Emalfarb, et al. Confirmation No.: 1956
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

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Sir:

Responsive to the Final Official Action dated June 24, 2009, the applicant(s) respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks. In addition, the applicant(s) have petitioned for a two (2) months extension of time and paid concurrently herewith the appropriate fee for extending the period of response up to and including, November 24, 2009.

Also submitted herewith is an RCE Transmittal, IDS, Form 1449, and cited reference.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 17 of this paper.